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Table 4. Normal Gene Product

Protein Subunit	Weight (kd)	Known Role
EIF2B α (alpha)	26	
EIF2B β (beta)	39	Fixation of GTP/GDP
EIF2B γ (gamma)	58	
EIF2B δ (delta)	67	
EIF2B ϵ (epsilon)	82	Responsible for guanine exchange factor (GEF) activity and the interaction with other initiation factors in eukaryotes